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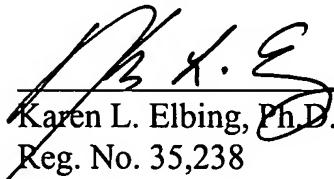
REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In reply to the Restriction Requirement that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned case on September 14, 2006, Applicants elect the invention of Group I, claims 39-41, 46, and 47, and SEQ ID NO: 4. The election is made without traverse.

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